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Application Number	09/451,979
Filing Date	November 30, 1999
First Named Inventor	Katsuni Sameshima
Art Unit	2814
Examiner Name	Wai Sing Louie
Attorney Docket Number	362-39 RCE

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- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR §1.116 previously filed on February 21, 2003 (copy enclosed).  
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_
- iii. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
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- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

### 2. Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR §1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ months (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 CFR §1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_
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Group Art Unit  
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Title: **SEMICONDUCTOR MEMORY AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAME**



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Invention: FERROELECTRIC MEMORY AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAME



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